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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

## AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

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SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:—SAYLE & Co., Singapore. G. HEINZELN & Co., Manila.  
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## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$7,500,000  
Reserve Fund, \$4,000,000  
Dividends, \$400,000  
Reserve Liability of Pro-  
prietors, \$7,500,000

COUNT OF DIRECTORS.  
Chairman—Hon. F. D. SASSON.  
Deputy Chairman—A. McIVER, Esq.  
C. D. BOTTOMLEY, M. GEORGE, Esq.  
H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.  
W. H. FORBES, Esq.  
H. HOFFMANN, Esq.  
A. P. McEWEN, Esq.  
E. E. SASSON, Esq.

Chief Manager, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.  
Manager, EWEN CAMERON, Esq.  
London Bankers—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.  
Interest Allowed.  
On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
For Fixed Deposits—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.  
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 28, 1885. 347

## NOTICE.

### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank.
- Sum less than \$1. or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.
- Deposits may be on behalf of relations, of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account.
- Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited one dollar.
- Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- Deposits may be forwarded from the Post by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any values.
- Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will be marked "On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business," be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fee by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.
- All documents connected with the business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty.

For the  
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, April 25, 1884. 715

WILLIAM DOLAN,  
SALE-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,  
22, PRINCE STREET.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANYAS,  
MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN  
OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS,  
GORE JACKETS,  
&c., &c., &c.  
Hongkong, May 1, 1883. 256

## Bank.

### THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

(Incorporated in London on 13th July, 1884, under the Companies Acts 1862, to 1883.)

### LONDON BANKERS:

UNITED BANK OF LONDON, LTD.

BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 1/2 per Annum.

" 6 " " " 4 " " "

" 12 " " " 5 " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

### CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURCHASED.

H. A. HERBERT,  
Manager.  
Hongkong, September 15, 1884. 1556

## Intimations.

### AMOI DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS,  
No. 30.

### QUEMOY SEIT BUOY RE-PLACED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a New Red CONICAL BUOY, six feet in diameter, surmounted by a Black Spherical Cap, has been placed immediately off the end of the Quemoi Spit.

Quemoi Pagoda bears from the Buoy N. 19° 52' E., and Taitan Light-house N. 75° 56' W.

The Shoal Patch which is shown on Admiralty Chart No. 1767 as forming, and on the Southern Edge of which the Buoy was formerly placed, bears from the Buoy in its present position S. 46° E., distant a little over one mile.

Masters of Vessels are warned not to pass between this Buoy and Quemoi Island.

H. J. MEADE,  
Harbour Master.

Approved:  
J. McLEAVY BROWN,  
Commissioner of Customs.  
Custom House,  
Amoy, 3rd March, 1885. 418

### SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Incorporated on the 15th day of February, 1885, under the Indian Companies Act, 1866, whereby the liability of Shareholders is limited to the amounts not paid up on their shares.

CAPITAL—TWO MILLION DOLLARS.

PAYABLE 50 PER SHARE ON APPLICATION AND 150 ON ALLOCATION.

Further calls not to exceed \$20 per share not to be made payable less intervals than three months.

Provisional Directors:  
THOMAS SCOTT, Esq., Singapore.  
THOMAS CUTHBERTSON, Esq., Singapore.  
TH. SOHST, Esq., Singapore.  
Messrs. PUTTAPARAKK, RHEINER & Co., Singapore.

HON. A. CURRIE,  
(THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED), Singapore.  
T. S. THOMSON, Esq., Singapore.  
T. C. BOGAARDT, Esq., Singapore.  
(Messrs. W. R. SCOTT & Co.), Singapore.  
W. DOUGLAS, Esq., Singapore.  
(Manager, Commercial Bank of India, Australia and China), Singapore.  
J. BURKINSHAW, Esq., Singapore.  
(Messrs. DONALDSON & BURKINSHAW), Singapore.  
G. EDGAR, Esq., Singapore.  
(Messrs. Edgar & Co.), Singapore.  
ONG KIEW HO, Esq., Singapore.  
(Messrs. Kew Ho & Co.), Singapore.  
WEE BOON TECK, Esq., Singapore.  
(Messrs. Wee Bin & Co.), Singapore.  
QUAH BENG HONG, Esq., Singapore.  
(Messrs. Bun Hin & Co.), Singapore.  
JNO. F. CRAIG, Esq., Singapore.  
(Messrs. Syme & Co.), Singapore.

Bankers:  
Messrs. DONALDSON & BURKINSHAW.

Temporary Offices:  
SINGAPORE EXCHANGE BUILDINGS.

Secretary, (Pro Tem),  
ALEXANDER GENTILE, Esq.

THIS Company is formed for the purpose of taking Fire Insurance risks in the Straits Settlements and elsewhere, with a special view to meet local wants and to avail itself of local information and experience.

Applications for shares may be sent accompanied with a deposit of \$5 for each share applied for, to any of the Branches or Agencies of the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China, The Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, or to The New Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited.

Applications from the Straits Settlements, Malay States, Netherlands India, Sumatra, Siam, Saigon and Borneo must reach Singapore on or before 15th March next; and from Europe, Australia or elsewhere, on or before 15th May next.

To applicants to whom no allotment of shares is made, the deposit will be returned in full; and in case of application by any applicant for more shares than are allotted to him, the extra deposits will be applied in payment of the amount due on the allotment of his shares.

Prospectuses and Forms of Application for shares can be obtained on application to any of the above mentioned Banks, to the Legal Advisers, or to the Secretary (pro tem) of the Company.

Singapore, 5th February, 1885. 333

## For Sale.

### NEW GOODS.

### TEA TASTERS—POTS and CUPS.

Single and Double TIME GLASSES.

TEA TASTERS—SCALES.

SHOWER BATHS and PLUNGE BATHS.

New DECORATED TIN WASHSTANDS.

PARROT CAGES.

Patent LAWN MOWERS.

MORDAN'S COPYING PRESSES.

WIND-PROOF LANTERNS.

MAW BEEF-TEA MACHINES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 12, 1885. 432

### W. POWELL & Co.

ARE REMOVING TO THE

### VICTORIA EXCHANGE.

ON

1st April,

ENTRANCE FROM

QUEEN'S ROAD AND STANLEY STREET.

Hongkong, March 12, 1885. 433

### ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters.

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

Hongkong, January 6, 1885. 33

### Intimations.

#### NOTICE.

#### ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.

ALL HOLDERS of NOTES of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION (HONGKONG BRANCH) are hereby requested to present them to the Liquidators of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange, a certificate of the value of the Notes deposited.

Holders of Notes will be required to furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank, a schedule in duplicate, giving the date of Issue, Number and Amount of each Note produced.

Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the Office of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

For the  
OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR  
OF THE  
ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,  
By his Attorneys,  
J. MELVILLE MATSON,  
H. HOWARD TAYLOR.  
Hongkong, August 2, 1884. 1235

### HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a Statement of BUSINESS Contributed during the Half-Year ended 31st December, 1884, on or before the 31st March next, on which date the Accounts will be Closed.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, February 24, 1885. 321

### DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.  
MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,  
Surgeon Dentist.

(FORMERLY ASSISTED APPRENTICE AND LATELY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROBERTS.)

At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROBERTS.

No. 2, DUNDRELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Perfect adjustment of Artificial Teeth by Atmospheric Action without pain or inconvenience. Discount to missionaries and families.

Sole Address:  
2, DUNDRELL STREET,  
(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)  
Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 66

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## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION OF ENGLISH AND INDIAN-MADE FURNITURE, &c., &c.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been instructed to Sell by Public Auction, at the Residence of Mr. J. McALMUR, No. 1, Westbourne Villa, Bonhill Road, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 18th Instant, at 2 o'Clock p.m.,—

THE WHOLE OF HIS FURNITURE,

comprising—

CARVED BOMBAY BLACKWOOD CHAIRS and COUCHES, OBTUSE-CORNERED WALNUT CHAIRS, MARQUETTES, OVERMANTLES, BLACK OBTUSE-CORNERED CHAIRS, BLACKWOOD MARBLE-TOP TABLES, MARQUETTES, SIDEBOARDS with MIRROR, JAR, DINING TABLE, CHOCOLATE, GLASS and PLATED WARE, WALNUT BLACK WALNUT WARDROBE with MIRROR, FRONT, MARBLE-TOP DRESSING TABLE and WASHSTAND, IRON BEDSTEADS with SPRING MATTRESSES, CHILDREN'S IRON BEDSTEADS, &c., &c.

A FINE COLLECTION OF OIL PAINTINGS, WATER-COLORS, AND OLD JAPANESE WARE.

JAPANESE, LADY'S CHAIR, &c. &c.

Also,

TERMS—As usual.

Catalogues will be issued, and the Furniture on view the day previous to the Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Auctioneers.

Hongkong, March 11, 1885. 439

### Intimations.

#### TENDERS.

TENDERS for SUPPLIES of COAL and other necessary LUBRICANTS MATERIALS for the Spanish Man-of-war ARAGON will be received in this Office, on TUESDAY, 17th Instant, at 3 o'Clock p.m., before a Committee duly appointed, and according to the Conditions which can be seen and consulted in this Office every day from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

ENRIQUE GASPARE,  
Consul de España.

SPANISH CONSULATE, Hongkong, 13th March, 1885. 443

### CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT SILVER LOAN OF 1884.

LOAN A.

THE INTEREST due 15th day of March instant, on the above LOAN, together with PRINCIPAL DRAWN for Redemption, will be paid at the Office of the CORPORATION on and after that date.

List of Drawn Bonds may be had on application.

For the  
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
Agents for the Loan,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, March 11, 1885. 426

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

#### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 31st December, 1884, at the Rate of (22) TWO POUNDS STERLING per SHARE of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 2nd March, at the Office of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, February 28, 1885. 343

### VICTORIA HOTEL.

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS extensive and well-appointed establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The Rooms are spacious, well-ventilated and have just been re-furnished in a most comfortable and homelike manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The accommodation and service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied Table d'Hôte is always provided and served in the spacious, large Dining Hall. The Hotel also contains handsome and comfortable reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms. The Hotel is unsuited for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABEE and HING KEE, PROPRIETORS.

Hongkong, September 15, 1884. 1559

### CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1884.

CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to furnish the Underwritten with a List of their CONTRIBUTIONS for the year ending 31st December, 1884, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION OF BONDS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st day of MARCH INSTANT will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 393

## Entertainment.

### THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY will give A CONCERT, IN THE CITY HALL, HONGKONG, ON SATURDAY EVENING, the 21st Instant.

#### PROGRAMME.

PART I.

'THE ROSE MAIDEN,' (Quartet by FREDERICK COVEN).

Chorus, 'Green Valley.'

Recitative (Tenor), 'True till death.'

Recit and Duet (Soprano and Baritone), 'A maid more beautiful.'

Solo (Soprano), 'Bloom on, bloom on, O chorus, 'Mid the waving rose trees.'

Solo and Chorus (Contralto), 'The wedding morn.'

Solo (Baritone), 'Speed on my bark.'

Solo (Soprano), 'Farewell, Sleep thou lightly.'

Interval of 10 Minutes.

PART II.

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## For Sale.

**MacEwen, Frickel & Co.**  
MOVED TO THEIR NEW  
PREMISES  
**VICTORIA EXCHANGE,**  
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

**1st APRIL NEXT,**  
When they propose selling STORES  
and other RETAIL ARTICLES at  
the lowest possible prices  
**FOR CASH,**  
and giving the benefits of the Co-operative  
Store system to the Public without the  
necessity of Membership. Detailed Prices  
will be furnished on application.

CROSS & BLACKWELL'S  
**OILMAN'S STORES.**  
JOHN MOIR & SONS, LIMITED,  
**OILMAN'S STORES.**  
J. T. MORRISON'S  
**OILMAN'S STORES.**  
MACDONALD BROTHERS,  
Lowestoft  
**OILMAN'S STORES.**  
AMERICAN  
**OILMAN'S STORES.**

WINES, &c.  
**CHATEAU MARGAUX.**  
**CHATEAU LA TOUR,** pints & quarts.  
1885. GRAVES.  
**BREAKFAST CLARET,** "

**SASSOON'S MANZANILLA & AMON-  
TILLADO.**  
**SASSOON'S OLD INVALID PORT**  
(1848).

**HUNT'S PORT.**  
1 and 3-star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.  
COGNAC'S BRANDY.

**FINEST OLD BOURBON WHISKY.**  
**KINABAY'S LL WHISKY.**  
**ROYAL GLENDEE WHISKY.**

**BOORD'S OLD TOM.**  
**E. & J. BURET'S IRISH WHISKY.**  
**ROSE'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.**

**NOTLEY PIAT & Co.'s VERMOUTH.**  
**JAMSON'S IRISH WHISKY.**  
**MARSALA.**

**EASTERN AMERICAN CIDER.**  
**CHARTREUSE.**  
**MARASCHINO.**  
**CURACAO.**

**BASS'S ALE,** bottled by CAMERON and  
SAUNDERS, pints and quarts.  
**GUINNESS'S STOUT,** bottled by E. &  
J. BURET, pints and quarts.

**DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER,** by the  
Gallon.  
**ALE and PORTER,** in hogheads.

Agents for:  
**Messrs. W. & A. GILBERT'S**  
**WINES AND SPIRITS.**

**PATENT FIRE-PROOF SAFES.**  
**Messrs. TURNBULL, JAMES, and SOMERVILLE'S**  
**MALTESER CIGARETTES.**  
Hongkong, March 12, 1885. 431

## Intimations.

**D. K. GRIFFITH & Co.**  
**MANUFACTURERS OF THE LONDON**  
**ERATED WATERS.**

Have Removed from the BEAUFIELD  
ARCADE to larger Premises  
**1, DUDDLE STREET,**

Where they continue to Supply:  
**SODA WATER,** LEMONADE,  
**TOFFEE,** GINGERBREAD,  
**SHRUBB,** RASPBERRYADE,  
**SARSAPILLA,** &c., &c., &c.

At the same Moderate Charges.  
**D. K. GRIFFITH,**  
Proprietor.  
Hongkong, July 28, 1884. 1248

## NOTICE.

**THE FOREIGN TAILOR SHOP, No. 67,**  
Queen's Road Central, under the  
Style TUNG HING, has been established  
for years. It has been a great success  
to its customers. Mr. LEUNG SHU, in the  
year 1883 entered into service of the Shop  
as a Shuff, and on the 15th February 1885,  
he has RESIGNED his POST to go some-  
where else. Customers and Debtors to  
the said TUNG HING Shop are requested  
to come personally to the Shop to pay  
what they owe and get their Receipts.  
After this information, Debtors to the  
TUNG HING Shop are requested not to  
pay TUNG HING's account to LEUNG  
SHU, but to TUNG HING, who will come  
personally to receive the Payment. Pay-  
ments will also be received when sent to  
the Shop, where proper Receipts for the  
same can be had.

**TUNG HING,**  
Tailor, Central District.  
Hongkong, February 19, 1885. 280

## A Great Conflagration

That sweeps away a whole city, starts from a  
flame to smelt that glass of water would ex-  
tinguish it. In the manner, the most painful  
and fatal maladies of the throat and lungs origi-  
nally develop from small beginnings, not diffi-  
cult to cure if promptly treated with the proper  
remedy. But their progress is tedious and  
delay may be fatal. Colds and coughs lead to  
Laryngitis, Asthma, Bronchitis, Pneumonia,  
and Consumption. The only medicine  
certain to cure every breathless and pul-  
monary affection not absolutely incurable is  
**Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.**

During 40 years it has steadily grown in popu-  
larity and estimation, and is now a household re-  
medy in many thousands of families. Parents,  
whose lives were preserved by Ayer's Cherry  
Pectoral, when they were young, and now saving  
the lives of their children with it. Leading  
physicians and all the world's press bear testi-  
mony to its efficacy. It is sold by all druggists.

**Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.**  
Sold by all druggists.

Agents for  
HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, AND MANILA.  
**A. S. WATSON & Co.**

## TO LET.

**No. 3, Water Terrace.** Entry from  
1st March.  
Apply to  
**G. O. ANDERSON,**  
4, Praya Central,  
Hongkong, February 19, 1885. 236

## To Let.

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**THE LARGEST AND COMMODIOUS HOUSE**  
at Kowloon known as 'Belvue,'  
With GARDEN and TENNIS COURTS attached.  
Entry at once.

Apply to  
**G. O. ANDERSON,**  
4, Praya Central.  
Hongkong, February 20, 1885. 292

**TO BE LET.**  
**OFFICES or APARTMENTS**  
in Suites,  
in STANLEY STREET, at the back of the  
Victoria Exchange.

Apply to  
**HONGKONG DISPENSARY.**  
Hongkong, March 4, 1885. 4381

**TO LET ON LEASE.**  
**TENDERS WANTED** for the following  
TENEMENTS:—  
Nos. 88 to 102, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.  
" 13 " 22, PRATA.  
" 1 " 14, Tai-Wong Lane.  
" 1 " 27, Tai-Wong Street.  
" 2 " 26, SHIP STREET.

The Property will be put in thorough  
repair. Entry from 1st April.  
Tenders to be lodged with the Under-  
signed on or before 20th March.  
For further Particulars, apply to  
**G. O. ANDERSON,**  
4, Praya Central.  
Hongkong, February 20, 1885. 291

**TO LET.**  
**COLLEGE OFFICERS' (late HOTEL)**  
DE LUXE SINGLE ROOMS or  
SUITE of APARTMENTS.  
Nos. 4 and 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.  
No. 25, PRATA CENTRAL.  
No. 44, GRAHAM STREET.

Apply to  
**DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.**  
Hongkong, December 24, 1884. 2165

**TO LET.**  
**THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 38,**  
QAINS ROAD. Possession from 1st  
January, 1885.  
Apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.**  
Hongkong, December 23, 1884. 2164

**STORAGE.**  
**GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE** in  
Commodious and well ventilated  
GODOWNS on the New Premises in  
DUNDAS STREET, next to the ORIENTAL  
BANK.

Apply to  
**G. R. LAMBERT.**  
Hongkong, December 27, 1884. 2178

**STORAGE.**  
**GOODS TAKEN ON STORAGE** at the  
GODOWNS, No. 13, PRATA CENTRAL,  
at Moderate Rates.  
Apply to  
**G. O. ANDERSON,**  
No. 4, Praya Central.  
Hongkong, March 2, 1885. 358

**TO-day's Advertisements.**  
**NOTICE.**  
**GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH**  
**COMPANY.**  
(HONGKONG STATION.)

**MR. H. DUCH** will TAKE CHARGE  
of the Company's Hongkong Station,  
during his temporary Absence from the  
Colony, during the 15th Instant.

**I. BERNER,**  
Superintendent.  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 453

**TO-day's Advertisements.**  
**NOTICE.**  
**THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY**  
of Mr. SASSOON JACOB DAVID in  
our Firm in Bombay and China CEASED on  
the 31st December last.

**E. D. SASSOON & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 450

## To-day's Advertisements.

## THE CHINA &amp; MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

**FOR MANILA AND ILOILO.**  
The Co.'s Steamship  
*Zafiro*,  
Capt. TALBOT, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on MONDAY, the 16th Instant, at  
5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 454

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,**  
**LIMITED.**  
**FOR SWATOW.**  
The Co.'s Steamship  
*Hullong*,  
Capt. F. D. GODDARD, will  
be despatched for the above  
Port on TUESDAY, the 17th Inst.,  
at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,**  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 456

**FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW.**  
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates  
for NINGPO, CHEFOO, TIENTSIN,  
NEWCHANG, HANKOW and  
Ports on the YANGTZE.)  
The Steamship  
*Yung-ching*,  
Capt. LEECH, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on TUESDAY, the 17th Instant, at  
Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 459

**FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.**  
The Steamship  
*Chit-yuen*,  
Capt. McCARTHY, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on TUESDAY, the 17th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 457

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,**  
**LIMITED.**  
**FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW**  
(SHARP PEAK).  
The Co.'s Steamship  
*Douglas*,  
Capt. M. YOUNG, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant,  
at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,**  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 455

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**  
**FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.**  
The Co.'s Steamship  
*Tedouk*,  
Capt. JONES, will be  
despatched as above on  
WEDNESDAY, the 18th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 451

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the 31st December last.

**E. D. SASSOON & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 14, 1885. 450

**Vessels Advertised as Loading.**

Destination.	Vessels.	Captain.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
London, &c., via Suez Canal.	Surat (s)	C. R. Edwards	P. & O. S. N. Co.	March 17, at 4 p.m.
London, &c., via Suez Canal.	Radinorshire (s)	S. G. Rickard	Adams, Bell & Co.	March 18.
London, &c., via Suez Canal.	Telemauch (s)	Jones	Russell & Co.	March 18.
Manila and Iloilo.	Zafiro (s)	Talbot	Russell & Co.	March 16, at 5 p.m.
Manila, via Amoy.	Emmy (s)	Blanco	Rennet & Co.	March 17, at 5 p.m.
Manila, via Amoy.	Iphigenia (s)	F. Ahrens	Siemssen & Co.	March 19.
Marseilles, &c., via Saigon.	Pellio (s)	Bretel	Messageries Maritimes.	March 24, at noon.
New York.	Orestes (s)	Blundell	Quick despatch.	March 24, at 8 p.m.
San Francisco, via Yokohama.	Arabia (s)	Blundell	Russell & Co.	Quick despatch.
San Francisco, via Yokohama.	Yung-ching (s)	Lincoln	Russell & Co.	March 17, at noon.
Shanghai, via Swatow.	Orestes (s)	Webster	Butterfield & Swire.	March 20.
Shanghai, via Amoy.	Chit-yuen (s)	McCartney	Russell & Co.	March 17.
Singapore and Penang.	Tai-sung (s)	Davies	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	March 18, at 3 p.m.
Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.	Arratoon Apar (s)	A. B. Macfarlane	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	March 18, at 3 p.m.
Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.	Hullong (s)	F. D. Goddard	Doyle, Lapraik & Co.	March 17, at daylight.
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow.	Douglas (s)	M. Young	Doyle, Lapraik & Co.	March 18, at daylight.
Sydney and Melbourne, &c.	Namoa (s)	Pittman	Doyle, Lapraik & Co.	Quick despatch.
Yokohama, via Nanki and Kobe.	Woo-sung (s)	Hunt	Butterfield & Swire.	March 18, at 4 p.m.
	Sumatra (s)		P. & O. S. N. Co.	March 17, at daylight.

## SEARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. MARCH 14, 1885.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid-up.	Position PER LAST REPORT.	Balance f'ward.	Last Dividend.	Closing Quotations, Cash.
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	50,000	125	125	24,400,000	For equal satisfaction.	61,070 2 1/2	118 % prem.
INSURANCES.							
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	200	50	50,000		540,107	Tls. 280 per share
Yung-tze Insurance Company, Ltd.	8,000	25	25	50,000		406,329	Tls. 125 " buyers
Union Insurance Society Co., Ltd.	2,000	125	125	534,000		840	" " buyers
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	83 3/8	25	600,000		863	" " cash
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	260	50	105,000		860	" " cash
Chinese Insurance Co., Limited.	1,500	1,000	200	28,711 1/2	Credit balance	8167 1/2	" " buyers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	260	50	900,000		8340	" " ex div.
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	260	50	900,000		865	" " ex div.
STEAM COMPANIES.							
H.K. & M. Steamboat Co., Ltd.	8,000	100	75	206,256 5/8	Deprec. fund	4,593,986	1/2 % half year
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited	18,387 1/2	10 1/2	10				30 % discount
60,000 shares issued.	31,212 1/2	10 1/2	10				
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.	3,500	100	all				30 discount do.
MISCELLANEOUS.							
H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	10,000	12 1/2	12 1/2	18,000		6,683,966	1/2 % half year
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited.	500	100	100	8,552,17 10			40 per cent. ex div.
New Shares.	1,900	100	7 10				\$100 per share
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	2,000	100	100				Old \$120 per share
China Sugar Company, Limited.	1,000	100	100				\$100 " cash
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.	1,250	100	100	37,000		6,820 70	\$140 p. share, ex dividend
Hongkong Baking Company, Ltd.	600	100	50	4,000		442,110	\$120 " ex div., buyers
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited.	7,000	100	100			4,090 65	\$80 " "
Parak Tin Mining & B'ing Co., Ltd.	5,000	60	all		First year		\$30 " nominal
Selangore Tin Mining Co., Ltd. (S'hai)	2,500	100	all		do.		\$30 " "
H'kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	3,000	60	all		do.		\$58 " cash
GOVERNMENT.							
Chinese Imperial 1874	6,276 1/2	100	all		8 %	June 30 Dec. 31	
" " 1877	16,042 1/2	100	all		8 %	Feb. 28 Ag. 31	
" " 1878	3,800 1/2	100	all		8 %	April & October	
" " 1881	8,565 1/2	100	all		8 %	June & Dec. 31	
Sugar Duties, 1880	600	600	all		8 %		1 1/2 % prem.

## SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

March 14, 1885.—  
*Pookang*, British steamer, 990, Hogg,  
Shanghai, March 11, General.—JARDINE,  
MATHEWS & Co.

*Kong Beng*, British steamer, 882, R.  
Jones, Hangkai, March 9, General.—YUEN  
FAI HONG.

*Sulin*, American brig, 276, Henderson,  
Pellows March 9, General.—BLACKHEAD &  
Co.

*Esk*, British gunboat, 363, Capt. Cochran,  
Swatow March 13.

*Blackadder*, American ship, 917, C. E.  
Bore, Newcastle, (N.S.W.), January 26,  
Cal.—RUSSELL & Co.

**DEPARTURES.**  
March 14.—  
*Anton*, for Swatow.

*Manilla*, for Saigon.

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## POST OFFICE NOTICES.

## MAILS will close:—

For SWATOW AND SHANGHAI.—  
Per *Yung Ching*, at 11.30 a.m., on Tues-  
day, the 17th inst., instead of as  
previously notified.

For AMOY AND MANILA.—  
Per *Emmy*, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday,  
the 17th inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.—  
Per *Douglas*, at 6 p.m., on Tuesday, the  
17th inst.

For STRA



ASSAULT.  
 ni, a hawker, was convicted of  
 Lai Fok Chai, an inmate of a  
 Square Street, and beating her  
 on bar. Defendant, in default of  
 fine of \$5.



